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PUGET SOUND PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTOR SOCIETY

WHAT: REGULAR MEETING OF PSPCS

WHERE: DES MOINES MASONIC TEMPLE, 2208 S. 223RD ST (TAKE MIDWAY EXIT OFF I-5, GO TO FIRST STOP LIGHT WEST OF PACIFIC AVE SOUTH, TURN RIGHT UNTIL 223RD, THEN TURN WEST (LEFT). THE TEMPLE IS JUST WEST OF THE FIRE STATION)

WHEN: THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH (EXCEPT JULY & AUGUST). NEXT MEETING IS 10/17/13, 7 - 9 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM)

WHY: TO SHARE AND ENJOY THE COMPANY OF OTHER WHO ARE INTERESTED IN COLLECTING EVERYTHING PHOTOGRAPHIC

MEETING AGENDA: A SHORT BUSINESS MEETING, SHOW AND TELL; EARN THAT CAMERA; PROGRAM; ??; AUCTION (ONE ITEM LOT PER MEMBER) AND THE DOOR PRIZE.

Special points of interest:

- *Ries Tripod Factory Tour*
- *Our 34th Annual Show*
- *Group NW of the Magic Lantern Society*



June Meeting Members

Ries Tripod Factory Tour — Saturday October 26

Bob Peters gave an interested talk at our last meeting on the Ries Tripod he had acquired. It was dated back to the late 30's by the factory and may have been owned by a famous photographer in the Bay area.

Bob has contacted Ries Tripods and has confirmed that they can show our group their operation on Saturday October 26 at 10:30 a.m.. Their website is as follows: <http://www.riestripod.com/> I'd suggest members look at the site, especially their history and product line so they can see what this tour is about.

The address is Ries Productions, LLC: 2600 Burwell St. Bremerton, WA 98312. It's easy to find with a Google map.

The plan is to see the operation, which should take roughly an hour, then those who wish can meet for lunch at the Bremerton Bar & Grill, which Ries has recommended. It's across the street from the ferry and about 1/2 mile from Ries's building. According to Ries, the menu is varied, and prices are reasonable.

If you are interested in taking the tour please drop Bob Peters an email at b.c.peters@comcast.net

Here is some more interesting [information](#) on the business of Ries Tripod. They are in a contest to win a TV commercial from Intuit Quickbooks. Review their video and then vote.

Come join us April 12, 2014



Thirty Fourth Annual
Camera and Photographica
Sale, Swap, & Show

Mark Your Calendar

Kent Commons
525 4th Ave. North
Kent, WA.

Admission:
Early admission: \$15.00
General Admission: \$5.00

Hours:
8:30 am: Early admission buyers may enter
10:00 am to 4:00 pm: Open to the general public

Be part of the planning for the 34th Annual Camera Show & Swap

Time has come to organize our committee for the 34th Annual PSPCS Camera Show & Swap April 12, 2014 at Kent Commons. The show committee meets once a month right before the society's regular meetings (except December). We are always in need of new committee members to bring us fresh thinking and skills.

Our first meeting will be in November 21 at 6 pm before our regular society meeting.

Your committee tasks will not be too difficult and you will get to be on the "inside" of putting our Show together. And, of course, there will be several "perks" to reward the committee members for their time and efforts.

Please, seriously consider joining with our nice committee members and put your name on the sign-up sheet at our October

meeting. If you would like to join the committee but can't make the meeting just contact Mike Immel via email (shutterf64@yahoo.com) and let me know.



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Group NW of the Magic Lantern Society

The group will be our Feature Presentation for our November 21st meeting. Their program will be on Magic Lantern slide history and images of the Northwest. There was a lantern and slide producer in Seattle 1910-1930. They have lanterns and slides from them.

Magic-Lantern Group NW is a group of individuals from Vancouver, BC to Vancouver, Washington and members of the Magic Lantern Society of the United States and Canada.

Pictures of the McBee Collection Sale

Courtesy of Mike Immel.



Contact Information

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Information for the Bellows should be sent to: pspcsociety@gmail.com

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Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Puget-Sound-Photographic-Collectors-Society/125678560778201>

Wiki - <http://fastglass.wikispaces.com/>

Dues are \$20.00 per year (Jan-Dec) and should be sent to Treasurer Shirley Sparrow, 300 Pease Road Cle Elum, WA. 98922. (509) 674-1916, Email: sesparrow9@msn.com